

Bandon Recorder

NO CHANCE FOR SETTLERS

Land Taken From Southern Pacific Not Subject to Entry.

MANY LOSE HOLDINGS

Such is the Decision of the Courts in the Washington-Oregon Land Case

That the bona fide settlers on the Southern Pacific Railroad lands declared forfeited to the government in the Oregon-California decision have little or no hope of gaining any rights to their holdings is the positive view of Louis L. Sharp, chief of the field division of the United States Land Office, in spite of contrary declarations. Mr. Sharp declares that, regardless of the hardship that the decision may cause the settlers, they have the law, as well as the court decision against them.

Even if the Appellate Court sustains the decision, the lands would revert to the government not as public domain open to settlement, but as government property. If such lands are opened to entry later it will be as any other lands to which any one qualified will have as much right as those who have field application under the impression that the lands would revert from the railroad. By the act of August 20, 1912, it is expressly provided that these lands shall not be subject to entry or to the initiation of any rights whatever under any of the public land laws of the United States.

Dredge Oregon to Toledo.

That the dredge Oregon will not return to Coos Bay this fall as was expected by the Port Commission and others is the gist of a telegram from Toledo to the Portland Oregonian. The decision of Major Morrow to send the Oregon, from Grays Harbor, Wash., where she has been working the past year to Toledo instead of bringing her back to Coos Bay will be a surprise and will probably result in a vigorous protest by the Port of Coos Bay Commission which has just awarded the contract for about \$125,000 worth of dredging in the inner harbor which is felt should have been done by the government.

"The big suction dredge Oregon is to be put to work on the Toledo project in September, according to the announcement of Major Morrow, made to William Scarth and Mr. Hoevet, of the Toledo Port Commission, last week while in Portland. When this work is completed this district will be in touch with the outside world and more than 20,000,000 feet of standing timber will be available for market. The logging road is ready to bring the logs to the mills. This vast forest is tributary to Yaquina Bay."—Coos Bay Times.

Dramatic Entertainment.

Mrs. Linnie Garrett Carl will give a dramatic entertainment in Bandon Monday and Tuesday evenings June 16th and 17th.

Mrs. Carl formerly lived in the Coquille valley and her parents still reside at Myrtle Point. During the past few years she has traveled throughout the state and has won the distinction of being an entertainer of exceptional ability.

Mrs. Carl will speak Monday evening June 16th at the M. E. church and Tuesday evening June 17th at the high school auditorium.

Ordered out of Town.

Two men who came in from San Francisco on one of the boats which arrived this week, were mixed up in the affair of Monday night, when Arthur Graley was accused of drawing a knife with intent to use it. These men, whose names are unknown, came here to work on the Smith-Powers railroad, but jumped the contract on reaching Marshfield. Being suspicious looking characters and getting into trouble immediately on their arrival, Chief of Police J. W. Carter yesterday looked them up and railroaded them out of town, advising them if they returned, they would be set at work on the streets or else locked in jail—Marshfield Record.

CALL SPECIAL ELECTION

Salem dispatches state that Attorney General Crawford has announced he will, in spite of the decision of Judge Galloway, and which was rendered on Saturday and in which the Day bill was held to be unconstitutional, call a special election for next November for the purpose of voting on the various referendum bills. One of the measures in dispute is the one which created the offices of county attorneys for Coos and Curry counties and which, if the construction of Judge Galloway is held to be correct, will keep County Attorney Liljeqvist and County Attorney Meredith, of Curry County from qualifying.

It is the purpose of the attorney-general to have the question settled by mandamus proceedings before the supreme court at an early date.

It is claimed that the constitutionality of the Day law, which provides for special elections of referendum measures, has not been given a fair test, and that the decision of Judge Galloway in dismissing the application for a writ of mandamus to compel the secretary of state to file the petition on the ground that it did not contain a full copy of the law does not cover the ground because it was only incidental to the main issue before him.

Secretary of State Olcott will proceed to call the special election and then the mandamus proceedings will be instituted by the attorney general in order that the supreme court may pass finally upon the constitutionality of the law.

This is considered to be the only way out of the dilemma.—Marshfield Record.

High Officer Here.

Burt West, Great Sachem of the Redmen lodge in Oregon is in the city and will try to revive the defunct Redmen lodge in this city. There are many Redmen here, as at one time the lodge had over 200 members and it is believed that Mr. West will have little difficulty in reviving the lodge.

Cup Shower.

Miss Kate Rosa gave a cup and saucer shower Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Winifred McNair.

The home was beautifully decorated with mock oranges, iris and roses, and dainty refreshments were served. The afternoon was spent with sewing.

Miss McNair received many beautiful cups and saucers.

Those invited were: Misses Bertha Wilkins, Velma Klepfer, Dorothy Gibson, May A. Fahey, Belle Witcher, Clema Witcher, Elizabeth J. Rodgers, Abbott, Ethel Dyer, Rittie McNair, Maude Lowe, Winifred McNair, and Mesdames, C. Y. Lowe, R. H. Rosa, C. E. Kopf, H. E. Boak and Smith J. Mana.

SCHOOL ELECTION MONDAY

Director to Succeed Mr. M. Breuer to be Elected at This Meeting

Next Monday June 16th is the regular annual school election for the election of one school director to take the place of M. Breuer, whose term expires, and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before the meeting.

It is the duty of every tax paying voter to be at this meeting as there is certainly nothing of greater importance to the general public than the commonwealth schools.

The meeting is called for 3:00 o'clock at the new school house and everybody should take an hour or two off and attend the meeting.

New Principal at Gravel Ford

Mr. W. H. Bunch, for many years county school superintendent of Coos county, was in Coquille Tuesday laying in supplies for his Gravel Ford ranch. Mr. Bunch will be back in school work again next year, having recently been drafted into service as principal of the Gravel Ford Academy. Mr. Emerson, who has been at the head of the school for the past year will remain as assistant to Mr. Bunch.—Coquille Sentinel.

LIBRARY IS NOT DEAD

Though the tax was defeated by a small majority, the library continues with new accessions of friends, gifts and books. The tables are being supplied with a wide variety of current reading matter including four daily papers and some two dozen magazines. The Delineator, Home Journal, Post, Physical Culture, Scientific American, Youth's Companion, Sunset, Review of Reviews, World's Work, Century, Scribner, Harper's, Outlook, Literary Digest, and many other publications are now being received. The new books are on the road. Now is the time for the public spirited men and women and even for the children of the town to show their interest in the effort being made to keep up the public library. Some there are who look with contempt upon any movement calculated to better the condition of the people and enlighten them along broad lines.

The library rooms are frequented more by visitors to town than by citizens of the town. People who live elsewhere know what a library means and appreciate such. Let Bandon people become more interested.

Carmen.

Carmen a superb three reel Monopole feature film adapted from the famous opera will be shown on the screen at the Orpheum tonight Friday June 13th.

The Monopole Co. are well known for the excellence of their feature films, and in this instance have surpassed all previous efforts, as they were almost a year in process of production, and no expense was spared in stage setting and costuming.

So look for a splendid and lasting picture of this deathless opera. Shown for one night only Friday June 13th. Special music by Orpheum orchestra. No advance in price. Admission 10c and 5c.

TWO GAMES NEXT SUNDAY

Coquille and Myrtle Point Will Oppose Bandon on Local Grounds.

	STANDING OF THE CLUBS		
	Won	Lost	Pct
Bandon	3	0	1000
North Bend	2	2	500
Coquille	2	2	500
Marshfield	1	2	333
Myrtle Point	1	3	250

Next Sunday, June 15th, Bandon will play a double header. The first game will be with Coquille and the second with Myrtle Point. Osburn will pitch against Coquille and Harry Pierce will go in the box against Myrtle Point.

The games will both be fast ones and everybody should be out and "root" for the home team.

New Lawyer for Bandon.

Thomas F. Haggerty has opened a law office in Bandon, over the McNair hardware store, in the rooms until recently occupied by Dr. Smith J. Mann.

Mr. Haggerty is a graduate of the law department of New York University and was admitted to the bar for the state of New York.

Before coming here Mr. Haggerty practised law for three years in New York state.

STANDING IN PIANO CONTEST

The special prize in piano voting contest for week ending June 11th was won by number 101.

Standing of contestants.	
No. 25	67,970
" 89	64,544
" 98	49,820
" 101	46,506
" 87	46,220
" 77	37,950
" 100	36,780
" 97	34,740
" 86	31,085
" 61	30,555
" 22	29,555
" 82	25,650
" 92	25,075
" 51	21,895
" 103	14,565
" 93	6,185
" 91	7,910
" 52	6,020
" 99	4,800
" 102	2,600

All contestants coming within the first six at the close of the contest will be awarded a valuable prize. Any of the contestants ranging from 7th to 13th on the list are all within easy distance of a leading position.

The gathering of the votes, \$100 worth of purchases represent, would have litted any of these contestants into the lead. A contestant going after votes energetically and methodically would find little difficulty in obtaining 10,000 votes.

The new line of the Coos Bay Home Telephone company from North Bend to South inlet and Charleston Bay is fast nearing completion and the poles are all set as far as the Cameron home across the bridge. The work is being done in the most substantial manner and the wiring crew have the wires set as far as Tar Heel point. The line will be extended some farther down the country road towards Bandon. The company has contracts for a dozen or fifteen phones in that locality.—Marshfield Record.

Entertain at Five Hundred.

Mrs. F. E. Dyer and Mrs. L. J. Radley entertained at five hundred Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Dyer, in honor of Mrs. D. E. Biggs, of Bellingham, Wash.

The spacious home was beautifully decorated for the occasion with azaleas, iris and roses, and dainty refreshments were served after cards.

The first prize was won by Mrs. H. K. Flom and the second by Mrs. Horace Richards.

There were seven tables present and the afternoon was very pleasantly spent, as Mesdames Dyer and Radley always prove themselves to be most charming hostesses.

MUST PASS MEDICAL EXAM.

All men who contemplate marriage from now on should bear in mind the fact that a medical examination must be passed before a marriage license will be granted. This law went into effect last week and in substance the law is as follows:

"Before any county clerk in this state shall issue a marriage license, the applicant therefor shall file with the clerk from whom such license is sought, a certificate from a physician duly authorized to practice medicine within the state, made under oath, within ten days from the date of filing the same, showing that the male person thus seeking to enter the marriage relation is free from contagious or infectious venereal disease.

"Any physician who shall, knowingly and wilfully, make a false statement in any certificate issued, as herein provided, shall be punished by the revocation of his license to practice his profession within the state.

"All fees and charges of any physician asking the necessary examination of and issuing the necessary certificate to any one party, as herein provided, shall not exceed the sum of \$2.50.

"The county physicians of the several counties shall, upon request, make the necessary examination and issue certificate if the same can properly be issued, without charge to the applicant, if indigent."

Romeo and Juliet.

A wonderfully colored film of the Immortal Shakespeare's romantic play, in two reels.

Romeo, of the House of Capulets, and Juliet, of the House of Montagues, scorn the family feud of years, and love each other with all the fervor of Veronian youths. The ardent wooer sings his love beneath his lady's window while the stars wink their approval of the lover's happiness. Juliet's father urges her marriage to Tybalt, a man of his choosing, but Romeo determines she shall not, so together they visit the venerable Friar Lawrence and are secretly united in marriage. Romeo is challenged by his rival Tybalt, and in the encounter wounds his antagonist, for which he is exiled. Romeo's departure leaves Juliet open to the demands of her father, who insists upon her immediate marriage to Tybalt. In terror she flees to the old Friar, who gives her a powerful sleeping potion, and on the day she is to marry Tybalt, her friends are horrified to see her fall into a deathlike swoon. She is interred in the vault of her ancestors, and Romeo, hearing of her death, returns home, enters the vault and after gazing upon the face of his beloved plunges a dagger into his heart. Juliet awakens to see him expiring, and in her agony seizes the same dagger, inflicts a death-wound, and expires beside her lover.

This beautiful two reel feature will be shown at the Grand theatre Sunday night, June 15. Other good pictures. No advance, 10c and 5c. We show the cream of all films.

THE EAGLE WILL SCREAM

Bandon Decides to Celebrate the Glorious Fourth in Old Style Fashion

COMMITTEE WORKING

Many Special Features Will Be Planned—Everybody Boost

At the regular meeting of the commercial club last night it was definitely decided to celebrate the Glorious Fourth in Bandon in the good old fashioned way and a committee of business men composed of J. T. Sullivan, Steve Curren, Geo. P. Topping, Frank Catterlin and A. D. Mills was appointed, and P. H. Poole was given charge of the detail work.

The committee is meeting this afternoon in the office of Geo. P. Topping and all arrangements will be completed. A number of special features will be put on and it is probable that some good, fast outside base ball team will be brought here for a game with Bandon.

Get your flags, tin horns and fire works and let us have the most hilarious time in the history of Coos county.

State Officers Enjoined.

Salem, Or., June 11—Secretary of State Olcott and State Treasurer Kay are defendants in a suit filed this morning in the Marion County Circuit Court by L. H. McMahan, appearing as a citizen and a taxpayer of Oregon, in which the plaintiff seeks to enjoin the defendant Olcott from drawing warrants on the state treasury for the sum of \$450,000.

It is alleged in the complaint that unless restrained by the court the defendants will draw \$450,000 from the treasury of the state to provide for the construction, operation and maintenance of an irrigation project in Crook County, commonly known as the old Columbia Southern project. It is also alleged by the plaintiff that the defendant Olcott is seeking to extend the project for the benefit of certain private citizens.

The current issue of the Port Orford Tribune is very profusely illustrated with cuts of places of interest in Curry county and also contains a full page insert of cuts of some of the early lady settlers and a short sketch of their lives by Frank B. Tichenor. The issue is a great credit to Editor Stewart

A Brake on Your Expenditures

If you would put a brake on your expenditures, deposit your income in this bank, and make your payments by check. This will establish the habit of thinking twice before spending; if you have a bank account you will be greatly interested in seeing your deposits GROW. The best way to get ahead in the world is to have a bank account, and cultivate a growing balance. This bank offers you the opportunity.

FIRST NAT'L BANK
 Open during Noon Hour and Saturday Evenings.